NOES—7.

1. Mr. M. Govindan
2. ,, E. V. Krishna Pillai
3. ,, N. K. Krishna Pillai
4. ,, S. Krishna Pillai
5. Mr. K. P. Madhavan Pillai
6. ,, K. Narayanaperumal Nadar
7. ,, K. Padmanabha Panikkar

NEUTRALS—8.

1. Mrs. Anna Chandi
2. Mr. K. P. Kochukora Tarakan
3. ,, K. Krishnan Nayar
4. ,, K. Kunjukrishna Pillai
5. Mr. K. Madhavan Pillai
6. ,, M. P. Madhavan Pillai
7. ,, K. P. Nilakanta Pillai
8. ,, N. A. Sundaram Pillai

The motion was declared carried, 30 voting *for*, and 7 *against*, 8 remaining *neutral*.

THE WILLS REGULATION AMENDMENT BILL.

MR. P. S. MAHOMED (*Nominated*) : വിൽസ്റഗുലേഷൻ അമൻറുമെൻറു ബിൽ ഈ സഭയിൽ വായിക്കണമെന്നുള്ള ഉപക്ഷേപത്തെ ഞാൻ ഇവിടെ അവതരിപ്പിച്ചുകൊള്ളുന്നു.

MR. R. S. SUBRAHMANIA PILLAI (*Kalkulam* cum *Vilavankod*) : I second it.

The question that the principle of the Bill be accepted was then put and carried.

The Secretary then read the title of the Bill.

THEJENMI AND KUDIYAN REGULATION AMENDMENT BILL

PRESIDENT : The next business is the further discussion on the Jenmi and Kudiyan Regulation Amendment Bill. The House is now at amendment No. 17 moved by Mr. S. Krishna Pillai.

MR. KAYALAM PARAMESVARAN PILLAI (*Additional Head Sirkar Vakil*) : Sir, the amendment was moved on the last occasion and was opposed by Mr. Namputiri and then the House adjourned. I may say at once that I cannot accept the proposal, as it is, because, as it stands, it may work hardship either to the Jenmi or to the Kudiyan or both at a future time. I may also say that the real necessity for fixing any commutation rate will be felt only when the Kudiyan is not given the option to pay in kind as when the Government undertake to collect the jenmikaram, in which case the jenmikaram has to be paid in money and not in kind. In such cases, it will be necessary to have some machinery to commute it on a reasonable basis and the commutation rate must be one which is not far from reality. We have not yet come to the provisions relating to the collection of jenmikaram by Government. Further there is an express provision later on in Section 46 which expressly provides for a commutation rate being fixed for paddy. That being so, I would request Mr. Krishna Pillai to withdraw his amendment for the present.

MR. E. V. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*) : Is it necessary that the amendment should be withdrawn or only deferred for consideration ?

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